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RE: Application Serial No. 09/634,312 (Atty. Dkt. JP9-1999-0161US1(8728-410))

Darlene,

It was a pleasure to speak with you today. Per our telephone conversation, attached is a copy of the final page of our submission as filed on October 12, 2004. Please let me know if you need anything else or have any questions or comments.

Best regards, Eric Parham

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Conclusion:

Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that amended independent Claims 1, 5, 10 and 12-13 are in condition for allowance for at least the reasons stated above. Since Claims 2-4, 6-9, 11 and 14-20 each depend from one of the above claims and necessarily include each of the elements and limitations thereof, it is respectfully submitted that these claims are also in condition for allowance for at least the reasons stated, and for reciting additional patentable subject matter. Thus, each of Claims 1-20 is in condition for allowance. All issues raised by the Examiner having been addressed, reconsideration of the rejections and an early and favorable allowance of this case is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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